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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by

Repin. Refiling (or petition) accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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Case No. 5847/14

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Arch D. Robison

Serial No.: 09/552,292

Filed: April 19, 2000

For: DATA-FLOW METHOD FOR
OPTIMIZING EXCEPTION
HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS
IN PROGRAMS

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
FILING DATE GRANTED**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated June 29, 2000, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

- Fully executed Declaration For Patent Application for the above-referenced patent application.

- #3
- Applicant is:
- a small entity, verified statement (1 page) is:
- attached
- already filed
- other than small entity
- Three Check(s) totaling \$515.00 for:
- Filing Fee for Missing Parts for Non-Small Entity Status totaling \$130.
- Filing Fee totaling \$345.00. (A check for \$345.00 was previously submitted under Small Entity status. Applicant is now Large Entity and is submitting difference for same.)
- Filing Fee for four month Petition for Extension of Time for \$_____.
- Additional Claim Fees of \$_____.
- Assignment Recordation Fee of \$40.00
- Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).
- Other: Assignment (3 pages) and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (1 page).
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 11, 2000



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